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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the last paragraph beginning on page 9, line 28 with the following replacement paragraph:

FIG. 8 illustrates a ultrasonic dental insert 200 that can be received in the dental handpiece 100 in exemplary embodiments of the present invention. The insert 200 is received through the opening 111 into the cavity 170 of the bobbin 136. For example, the dental insert includes a tip 202 at its distal end and a transducer 208 at its proximal end. The dental insert further comprises a connecting body disposed between and attached to the tip and the transducer. The dental insert includes a hand grip 204, which may be made of high temperature resin. The rest of the insert, other than the transducer, is made of stainless steel, for example.